2012 ADOPTED BUDGET

Elbert County, Colorado December 14, 2011

ELBERT COUNTY, COLORADO

SUMMARY

FORECASTED 2012 BUDGET AS ADOPTED WITH 2010 ACTUAL AND 2011 ESTIMATED For the Years Ended and Ending December 31,

	ACTUAL 2010	ESTIMATED 2011	ADOPTED 2012		
BEGINNING FUND BALANCES	\$ 3,235,581	\$ 5,207,077	\$ 5,771,606		
REVENUES					
Taxes	10,729,417	10,162,620	9,401,465		
Special Assessments	51,967				
Licenses and Permits	568,144	270,000	312,500		
Intergovernmental	7,444,862	8,499,541	7,941,955		
Charges for services	1,841,829	1,213,077	1,806,450		
Interest income	6.787	15,100	12,600		
Lease proceeds	960,100	-	-		
Miscellaneous	758,882	124,285	68,700		
Clerk fees held for repayment to Escrow	415,446	551,979	95,769		
Total revenues	22,777,434	20,836,602	19,639,439		
TRANSFERS IN	154,730	280,282	246,383		
Total funds available	26,167,745	26,323,961	25,657,428		
EXPENDITURES					
General Government	4,464,554	3,722,924	3,339,594		
Public Safety	3,769,439	3,107,514	3,704,604		
Public Health and Welfare	5,305,855	5,762,425	5,578,191		
Culture and Recreation	124,058	115,248	133,090		
Auxiliary Services	101,590	93,442	131,006		
Retirement	246,924	215,653	201,482		
Public Works	3,465,748	4,003,307	4,326,725		
Debt Service - capital leases & other	750,103	661,930	796,561		
Capital outlay	1,648,201	1,376,801	3,523,510		
Recreation facilities	-	150,000	380,000		
Reimbursement of Clerk's Escrow	415,446	551,979	95,769		
Bond payment - Wells Fargo	514,020	506,225	508,088		
Contingency	-	4,625	44,625		
Total expenditures	20,805,938	20,272,073	22,763,245		
TRANSFERS OUT	154,730	280,282	246,383		
Total expenditures and transfers out					
requiring appropriation	20,960,668	20,552,355	23,009,628		
ENDING FUND BALANCES	\$ 5,207,077	\$ 5,771,606	\$ 2,647,800		

ELBERT COUNTY, COLORADO PROPERTY TAX SUMMARY INFORMATION FORECASTED 2012 BUDGET AS ADOPTED

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	ACTUAL 2010	1					
ASSESSED VALUATION							
Residential	\$ 185,140,510		\$ 172,498,170				
Commercial	24,090,480		24,063,910				
Agricultural	14,705,720		15,164,580				
Vacant Land	26,610,100		19,165,910				
State Assessed	17,640,500		21,478,500				
Natural Resources	5,334,449	3,498,060	4,000,630				
	273,521,759	276,432,380	256,371,700				
Adjustments		-	-				
-	\$ 273,521,75	\$276,432,380	\$ 256,371,700				
Certified Assessed Value	\$273,321,73	\$ \$270,432,300	\$ 250,571,100				
MILL LEVY	16.31	16.314	16.314				
General	9.50		9,500				
Road & Bridge	1.50	•					
Social Services	0.70		0.703				
Retirement	0.70	0.702	01.00				
Temporary Mill Levy Reduction	0,00	0.000	0.000				
(pursuant to C.R.S.39-5-121)	0.05	-					
Refund and abatements							
Total mill levy	28.07	3 28.137	28.137				
PROPERTY TAXES							
General	\$ 4,462,23						
Road & Bridge	2,598,45						
Social Services	410,28						
Retirement	192,28	6 194,332	180,229				
Temporary Mill Levy Reduction	u u		-				
Refund and abatements	15,31	7 33,172	30,765				
Levied property taxes	7,678,57	7,777,978	7,213,531				
Adjustments to actual/rounding	_		-				
Refunds and abatements	.	•					
Kerungs and abatements							
Total property taxes	\$ 7,678,57	7 \$ 7,777,978	\$ 7,213,531				
Farm Luck							

ELBERT COUNTY, COLORADO GENERAL FUND FORECASTED 2012 BUDGET AS ADOPTED WITH 2010 ACTUAL AND 2011 ESTIMATED For the Years Ended and Ending December 31,

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•	ACTUAL ESTIMATED 2011		ADOPTED 2012	
BEGINNING FUND BALANCES	\$ (499,225)	\$ 101,863	\$ 190,600	
REVENUES Taxes Licenses and Permits Intergovernmental Charges for services Interest income Cierk fees held for repayment to Clerk's Escrow Miscellaneous	6,056,752 568,144 252,892 1,814,495 419 415,446 700,183	5,656,272 270,000 130,000 1,000,000 12,000 551,979 110,000	5,259,000 312,500 195,000 1,525,000 10,000 95,769 60,000	
Total revenues	9,808,331	7,730,251	7,457,269	
TRANSFERS IN Conservation Trust Other Funds Total transfers in	63,154	140,000 28,235 168,235	140,000	
Total funds available EXPENDITURES General Government Public Safety Culture and Recreation Auxiliary Services Reimbursement of Clerk's Escrow	9,372,260 4,254,268 3,769,439 124,058 101,590 415,446	3,553,294 2,877,514 115,248 93,442 551,979	7,787,869 3,063,262 3,504,604 133,090 131,006 95,769	
Bond payment - Wells Fargo	514,020	506,225	508,088	
Total expenditures TRANSFERS OUT Public Health Retirement fund Other funds	9,178,821 67,288 24,288	7,697,702 112,047 - -	7,435,819 27,066 - 21,405	
Total transfers out	91,576	112,047	48,471	
Total expenditures and transfers out requiring appropriation	9,270,397	7,809,749	7,484,290	
ENDING FUND BALANCES	\$ 101,863	\$ 190,600	\$ 303,579	

ELBERT COUNTY, COLORADO

ROAD AND BRIDGE FUND FORECASTED 2012 BUDGET AS ADOPTED

WITH 2010 ACTUAL AND 2011 ESTIMATED For the Years Ended and Ending December 31,

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	ACTUAL 2010	ESTIMATED 2011	ADOPTED 2012
BEGINNING FUND BALANCES	\$ 900,543	\$ 1,765,318	\$ 1,919,423
REVENUES Taxes Intergovernmental Lease proceeds Miscellaneous	2,622,895 2,386,412 960,100 54,917 6,024,324	2,626,108 2,152,730 14,285 4,793,123	2,435,531 2,048,385 - 8,700 4,492,616
Total revenues TRANSFERS IN Sales and Use Tax Fund	-	-	57,912
Total transfers in			57,912
Total funds available	6,924,867	6,558,441	6,469,951
EXPENDITURES General Government Public Works Debt Service - Lease/Rental payments Capital Outlay	78,795 3,465,748 634,156 980,850	4,003,307 548,855	4,326,725 668,502
Total expenditures	5,159,549	4,639,018	5,163,577
TRANSFERS OUT General Fund	-	-	-
Total transfers out	-	_	
Total expenditures and transfers out requiring appropriation	5,159,549	4,639,018	5,163,577
ENDING FUND BALANCES	\$ 1,765,318	\$ 1,919,423	\$ 1,306,374

ELBERT COUNTY, COLORADO SALES AND USE TAX FUND

FORECASTED 2012 BUDGET AS ADOPTED WITH 2010 ACTUAL AND 2011 ESTIMATED For the Years Ended and Ending December 31,

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	ACTUAL 2010	ESTIMATED 2011	ADOPTED 2012		
BEGINNING FUND BALANCES	\$ 727,000	\$ 1,340,699	\$ 2,012,871		
REVENUES Sales tax Use tax Intergovernmental Total revenues	738,119 579,974 - 1,318,093	650,000 450,000 951,048 2,051,048	700,000 300,000 510,552 1,510,552		
TRANSFERS IN General Fund	-	-	<u> </u>		
Total transfers in		-	-		
Total funds available	2,045,093	3,391,747	3,523,423		
EXPENDITURES General Government Capital outlay Roads Equipment	39,594 664,800 - -	33,000 - 1,186,076 159,800	30,000 3,355,510 80,000		
Total expenditures	704,394	1,378,876	3,465,510		
TRANSFERS OUT Road and Bridge Fund	-	-	57,912		
Total transfers out		_	57,912		
Total expenditures and transfers out requiring appropriation	704,394	1,378,876	3,523,422		
ENDING FUND BALANCES	\$ 1,340,699	\$ 2,012,871	\$ 1		

ELBERT COUNTY, COLORADO PUBLIC HEALTH & ADMINISTRATION SPECIAL REVENUE FUND FORECASTED 2012 BUDGET AS ADOPTED WITH 2010 ACTUAL AND 2011 ESTIMATED For the Years Ended and Ending December 31,

A	ACTUAL 2010		ESTIMATED 2011		OPTED 2012
\$		\$	-	\$	-
	511,089 3,782		100,155		98,194 - 231,450
	514,871		263,232		329,644
	67,288 67,288		112,047 112,047		27,066 27,066
	582,159		375,279		356,710
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	582,159		375,279	,,	356,710
\$	_	\$	-	\$	_
		\$ - \$11,089 \$3,782 \$514,871 \$67,288 \$67,288 \$582,159 \$582,159 \$582,159	\$ - \$ 511,089 3,782 514,871 67,288 67,288 582,159 582,159 582,159	2010 2011 \$ - \$ - 511,089 100,155 3,782 - - 163,077 514,871 263,232 67,288 112,047 67,288 112,047 582,159 375,279 582,159 375,279 - 582,159 375,279 582,159 375,279	2010 2011 \$ - \$ - \$ \$11,089

ELBERT COUNTY, COLORADO DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN SERVICES FUND FORECASTED 2012 BUDGET AS ADOPTED WITH 2010 ACTUAL AND 2011 ESTIMATED For the Years Ended and Ending December 31,

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ACTUAL 2010	ESTIMATED 2011	ADOPTED 2012
\$ 651,085	\$ 501,201	\$ 337,195
414,200 4,172,050 4,586,250	414,981 4,820,608 5,235,589	384,558 4,774,824 5,159,382
-	<u></u>	-
5,237,335	5,736,790	5,496,577
12,438 4,723,696	12,449 5,387,146	21,530 5,221,481
4,736,134	5,399,595	5,243,011
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4,736,134	5,399,595	5,243,011
\$ 501,201	\$ 337,195	\$ 253,566
	2010 \$ 651,085 414,200 4,172,050 4,586,250 5,237,335 12,438 4,723,696 4,736,134	2010 2011 \$ 651,085 \$ 501,201 414,200 414,981 4,172,050 4,820,608 4,586,250 5,235,589 5,237,335 5,736,790 12,438 12,449 4,723,696 5,387,146 4,736,134 5,399,595 4,736,134 5,399,595

ELBERT COUNTY, COLORADO

CONTINGENCY FUND

FORECASTED 2012 BUDGET AS ADOPTED WITH 2010 ACTUAL AND 2011 ESTIMATED For the Years Ended and Ending December 31,

		ACTUAL E		ES	ESTIMATED 2011		DOPTED 2012	
BEGINNING FUND BALANCES	Little	\$	23,880	\$	23,880	\$	23,880	
REVENUES								
Taxes			-		-		-	
Intergovernmental			-		-		•	
Miscellaneous			-	<u> </u>				
Total revenues	_			-				
TRANSFERS IN					_		16,120	
General fund								
Total transfers in	_		-		<u> </u>		16,120	
Total funds available		23,880		23,880		40,000		
EXPENDITURES							40,000	
Contingency								
Total expenditures	_		-			****	40,000	
TRANSFERS OUT General Fund			-		•		•	
Total transfers out	_		-		14		-	
Total expenditures requiring appropriation	_		-		-		40,000	
ENDING FUND BALANCES	. =	\$	23,880	\$	23,880	\$	•	

ELBERT COUNTY, COLORADO RETIREMENT FUND

FORECASTED 2012 BUDGET AS ADOPTED WITH 2010 ACTUAL AND 2011 ESTIMATED For the Years Ended and Ending December 31,

	ACTUA 2010	L ES	STIMATED 2011	ADOPTED 2012	
BEGINNING FUND BALANCES	\$ -	\$	-	\$ 1,147	
REVENUES Taxes	222,6		223,505	207,439	
Total revenues	222,63	36	223,505	207,439	
TRANSFERS IN General fund	24,2	88	-	-	
Total transfers in	24,2	88	-	_	
Total funds available	246,9	24	223,505	208,586	
EXPENDITURES					
General Government			6,705	5,402	
Retirement	246,9	24	215,653	201,482	
Total expenditures	246,9	24	222,358	206,884	
TRANSFERS OUT Capital Projects Fund	-		-	-	
Total transfers out	_				
Total expenditures requiring appropriation	246,9	24	222,358	206,884	
ENDING FUND BALANCES	\$ -	\$	1,147	1,702	

ELBERT COUNTY, COLORADO CONSERVATION TRUST FUND FORECASTED 2012 BUDGET AS ADOPTED WITH 2010 ACTUAL AND 2011 ESTIMATED For the Years Ended and Ending December 31,

	A	ACTUAL 2010		ESTIMATED 2011		OOPTED 2012
BEGINNING FUND BALANCES	\$	805,091	\$	793,573	\$	621,073
REVENUES						
Intergovernmental		122,419		115,000		115,000
Investment income		2,156		2,500		2,000
Total revenues		124,575		117,500	**	117,000
TRANSFERS IN						
Capital Projects Fund		-		-		-
Total transfers in		-		+		
Total funds available		929,666		911,073		738,073
EXPENDITURES						
Facilities				150,000		200,000
Culture and Recreation				-		180,000
General Government		72,939		-		-
Total expenditures		72,939		150,000		380,000
TRANSFERS OUT						
General Fund		63,154		140,000		140,000
Total transfers out		63,154		140,000		140,000
Total expenditures						
requiring appropriation		136,093	***	290,000		520,000
ENDING FUND BALANCES	\$	793,573	\$	621,073	\$	218,073

ELBERT COUNTY, COLORADO IMPACT FUND

FORECASTED 2012 BUDGET AS ADOPTED WITH 2010 ACTUAL AND 2011 ESTIMATED For the Years Ended and Ending December 31,

	ACTUAL 2010		1		A	DOPTED 2012
BEGINNING FUND BALANCES	\$	533,511	\$	557,096	\$ -	547,696
REVENUES Charges for services Investment income		27,334 4,212 31,546		50,000 600 50,600		50,000 600 50,600
Total revenues		31,240		50,000		
TRANSFERS IN General Fund	,	p4		-		-
Total transfers in		-		**		
Total funds available		565,057		607,696	· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	598,296
EXPENDITURES General government Capital outlay Sheriff capital outlay Recreation improvements/outlay		5,410 - - 2,551		38,575 - 11,425 10,000		50,000 10,000 68,000 10,000
TAZ/Impact						138,000
Total expenditures		7,961		60,000		136,000
TRANSFERS OUT General fund Road & Bridge fund		-		_		-
Total transfers out		-				
Total expenditures requiring appropriation		7,961		60,000		138,000
ENDING FUND BALANCES	_\$_	557,096	\$	547,696	\$	460,296

ELBERT COUNTY, COLORADO AMANDA PINES SPECIAL ASSESSMENT FUND FORECASTED 2012 BUDGET AS ADOPTED WITH 2010 ACTUAL AND 2011 ESTIMATED For the Years Ended and Ending December 31,

	ACTUAL 2010	ESTIMATED 2011	ADOPTED 2012
BEGINNING FUND BALANCES	\$ 9,376	\$ 15,625	\$
REVENUES Special assessments	13,244	13,000	-
Total revenues	13,244	13,000	
TRANSFERS IN			
Total transfers in		<u> </u>	¥1
Total funds available	22,620	28,625	
EXPENDITURES General Government Bond expense Contingency	350 6,645 	-	-
Total expenditures	6,995	390	-
TRANSFERS OUT General Fund	-	28,235	-
Total transfers out		28,235	+
Total expenditures requiring appropriation	6,995	28,625	_
ENDING FUND BALANCES	\$ 15,625	; \$ <u>-</u>	\$ -

ELBERT COUNTY, COLORADO ROLLING HILLS SPECIAL ASSESSMENT FUND FORECASTED 2012 BUDGET AS ADOPTED WITH 2010 ACTUAL AND 2011 ESTIMATED For the Years Ended and Ending December 31,

	ACTUAL 2010	ESTIMATED 2011	ADOPTED 2012
BEGINNING FUND BALANCES	\$ 6,835	\$ 11,174	\$ 7,054
REVENUES Special assessments Total revenues	18,133 18,133	14,000	14,000 14,000
TRANSFERS IN General fund	-		5,285 5,285
Total transfers in			<u> </u>
Total funds available	24,968	25,174	26,339
EXPENDITURES General Government Bond expense Total expenditures	482 13,312 13,794	420 17,700 18,120	420 25,919 26,339
TRANSFERS OUT Capital Projects Fund		<u>-</u>	
Total transfers out	>=	-	→
Total expenditures requiring appropriation	13,794	18,120	26,339
ENDING FUND BALANCES	\$ 11,174	\$ 7,054	\$ <u>-</u>

ELBERT COUNTY, COLORADO CHAPARRAL VALLEY SPECIAL ASSESSMENT FUND FORECASTED 2012 BUDGET AS ADOPTED WITH 2010 ACTUAL AND 2011 ESTIMATED For the Years Ended and Ending December 31,

	ACTUA 2010	ES	TIMATED 2011	ADOPTED 2012
BEGINNING FUND BALANCES	\$ 4,7	54 \$	5,826	\$ 9,591
REVENUES Special assessments	20,5	90	24,500	21,000
Total revenues	20,5	90	24,500	21,000
TRANSFERS IN Total transfers in			-	
Total funds available	25,3	54	30,326	30,591
EXPENDITURES General Government Bond expense	2 19,2	.78 .50	735 20,000	630 28,200
Contingency Total expenditures	19,5	28	20,735	28,830
TRANSFERS OUT Capital Projects Fund Total transfers out		_	-	-
Total expenditures requiring appropriation	19,	528	20,735	28,830
ENDING FUND BALANCES	\$ 5,	826 \$	9,591	\$ 1,761

ELBERT COUNTY, COLORADO MEADOWS STATION

FORECASTED 2012 BUDGET AS ADOPTED For the Years Ended and Ending December 31,

	ACTUAL 2010	ESTIMATEI 2011	A	DOPTED 2012	
ASSESSED VALUATION Residential	\$ 2,724,730	\$ 2,495,610	\$	2,420,070	
Commercial Agricultural Vacant Land	-	-		-	
State Assessed Natural Resources	-			-	
	2,724,730	2,495,610	1	2,420,070	
Certified Assessed Value	\$ 2,724,730	\$ 2,495,610	\$	2,420,070	
MILL LEVY Debt Service fund - Meadows Station	22.000	22.000)	22.000	
Temporary Mill Levy Reduction (pursuant to C.R.S.39-5-121) Refund and abatements	0.000 0.000			0.000 0.000	
Total mill levy	22.000	22.000)	22.000	
PROPERTY TAXES Debt Service fund - Meadows Station Temporary Mill Levy Reduction Refund and abatements	\$ 59,944 - -	,		53,242 - -	
Levied property taxes	59,944	54,90	3	53,242	
Adjustments to actual/rounding Refunds and abatements	2,160	5,19	7	(2)	
Budgeted property taxes	\$ 62,104	\$ 60,10	0 \$	53,240	

ELBERT COUNTY, COLORADO MEADOWS STATION DEBT SERVICE FUND FORECASTED 2012 BUDGET AS ADOPTED WITH 2010 ACTUAL AND 2011 ESTIMATED For the Years Ended and Ending December 31,

	ACTUAL 2010	ESTIMATED 2011	ADOPTED 2012
BEGINNING FUND BALANCES	\$ 38,534	\$ 50,143	\$ 58,243
REVENUES Taxes	62,104	60,100	53,240
Total revenues	62,104	60,100	53,240
TRANSFERS IN Meadows Station Capital Projects Fund	-		-
Total transfers in	-		
Total funds available	100,638	110,243	111,483
EXPENDITURES Bond principal Bond interest Contingency Total expenditures	25,000 25,495 - 50,495	25,000 24,520 2,480 52,000	25,000 23,495 2,480 50,975
TRANSFERS OUT Capital Projects Fund		-	-
Total transfers out		<u> </u>	
Total expenditures and transfers out requiring appropriation	50,495	52,000	50,975
ENDING FUND BALANCES	\$ 50,143	58,243	\$ 60,508

ELBERT COUNTY, COLORADO FOXWOOD ESTATES

FORECASTED 2012 BUDGET AS ADOPTED For the Years Ended and Ending December 31,

	A	ACTUAL 2010		ESTIMATED 2011		DOPTED 2012
ASSESSED VALUATION Residential Commercial Agricultural Vacant Land State Assessed Natural Resources	\$	841,890 - 6,430 154,640 -	\$	762,060 - 7,780 145,350 -	\$	889,900 - - - - -
Certified Assessed Value	\$	1,002,960	\$	915,190	\$	889,900 889,900
MILL LEVY Debt Service fund - Foxwood Estates Temporary Mill Levy Reduction (pursuant to C.R.S.39-5-121) Refund and abatements		30.000 0.000 0.000		30.000 0.000 0.000		30,000 0,000 0,000
Total mill levy		30,000	·	30.000		30,000
PROPERTY TAXES Debt Service fund - Foxwood Estates Temporary Mill Levy Reduction Refund and abatements	\$	-	\$	27,456	,,,	26,697 - -
Levied property taxes Adjustments to actual/rounding Refunds and abatements		30,089 2,648		27,456 2,698		26,697 - -
Budgeted property taxes		32,737	\$	30,154	\$	26,697

ELBERT COUNTY, COLORADO FOXWOOD ESTATES DEBT SERVICE FUND FORECASTED 2012 BUDGET AS ADOPTED WITH 2010 ACTUAL AND 2011 ESTIMATED For the Years Ended and Ending December 31,

		ACTUAL 2010		ESTIMATED 2011		OOPTED 2012	
BEGINNING FUND BALANCES	\$	34,187	\$	40,679	\$	42,833	
REVENUES Taxes		32,737		30,154		26,697	
Total revenues		32,737		30,154		26,697	
TRANSFERS IN Foxwood Estates Capital Projects Fund		-		. -			
Total transfers in		H		=			
Total funds available		66,924		70,833		69,530	
EXPENDITURES Bond principal Bond interest Contingency Total expenditures		10,000 16,245 - 26,245		10,000 15,855 2,145 28,000		10,000 15,445 2,145 27,590	
TRANSFERS OUT Capital Projects Fund		<u>-</u>		<u>-</u>			
Total transfers out						-	
Total expenditures and transfers out requiring appropriation		26,245		28,000	<u> </u>	27,590	
ENDING FUND BALANCES	\$	40,679	\$	42,833	\$	41,940	

ELBERT COUNTY, COLORADO

LAW ENFORCEMENT ASSISTANCE FUND FORECASTED 2012 BUDGET AS ADOPTED WITH 2010 ACTUAL AND 2011 ESTEMATED For the Years Ended and Ending December 31,

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	ACTUAL 2010		ESTIMATED 2011		A	DOPTED 2012		
BEGINNING FUND BALANCES	\$	=	\$	-	\$	-		
REVENUES MTC Fines Miscellaneous		-		230,000		200,000		
Total revenues		_		230,000		200,000		
TRANSFERS IN General fund		-		.		-		
Total transfers in		-		-		Þ		
Total funds available		<u>-</u>		230,000		200,000		
EXPENDITURES Model Traffic Code				230,000		200,000		
Total expenditures				230,000		200,000		
TRANSFERS OUT General fund		-	_			_		
Total transfers out		-						
Total expenditures and transfers out requiring appropriation	,			230,000		200,000		
ENDING FUND BALANCES	\$	-	\$		\$	ANT		

ELBERT COUNTY, COLORADO SCHEDULE OF GENERAL FUND EXPENDITURES FORECASTED 2012 BUDGET AS ADOPTED WITH 2010 ACTUAL AND 2011 ESTIMATED For the Years Ended and Ending December 31,

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	ACTUAL 2010	ESTIMATED 2011	ADOPTED 2012
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EXPENDITURES General Government			
Office of Commissioners	274.185	237,233	273,208
Clerk of the Board	50.324	46,000	48,085
County attorney	128,687	111,476	111,000
Clerk and Recorder	319,566	283,869	350,918
Clerk and Recorder - Elections	111,695	62,000	146,011
County Treasurer	208,252	200,000	242,494
County Assessor	334,303	323,000	361,599
Maintenance of grounds and buildings	234,951	259,844	240,610
IT - Central data processing	218,235	274,246	299,715 337,885
Other administration	1,756,755	1,135,000	221,002
Commissioners resolution		40,000	141 021
Budget/payroll/finance	99,830	136,800	141,921
District attorney	517,485	443,826	509,816
Total general government	4,254,268	3,553,294	3,063,262
Public Safety			
County sheriff	1,212,346	965,687	1,403,678
County jail	1,284,214	1,183,761	1,346,306
County coroner	88,451	95,900	110,860
Judicial center	126,193	93,000	99,200
Building inspection	80,567	63,000	89,459
Planning - Land use administration	256,122	245,000	287,899
Planning commission	2,937	2,750	7,750 97,958
Office of Emergency Mgmt/Communications	-	74,866	61,494
Emergency communications and operations	718,609 3,769,439	153,550 2,877,514	3,504,604
Total public safety	3,709,439	2,677,514	3,50 t 1,00 t
Culture and Recreation	124,058	115,248	133,090
Auxiliary Services	404 400	00.443	121.006
Extension office	101,590	93,442 93,442	131,006 131,006
Total auxiliary services	101,590	93, 44 2	131,000
TAN repayment			
Transfers			
Public Health	67,288	112,047	27,066
Retirement	24,288	-	-
Contingency			-4 15-
Other		-	21,405
Total transfers	91,576	112,047	48,471
Bond payment - Wells Fargo	514,020	506,225	508,088
Reimbursement to Clerk's Escrow	- 110-00	551,979	95,769
	\$8,854,951	\$ 7,809,749	\$ 7,484,290
Total General Fund expenditures	40,00 1,001	,,	

ELBERT COUNTY, COLORADO 2012 BUDGET SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ASSUMPTIONS

Services Provided

Elbert County (the County) was incorporated in 1874 and is a duly and regularly created, organized and existing political subdivision of the State of Colorado (the State) under the Constitution and laws of the State. The County is governed by a three member Board of County Commissioners that exercises the powers granted to the County. The County provides services for general government, public safety, health and welfare, construction and maintenance of roads and bridges.

The County prepares its budget on the modified accrual basis of accounting. The County's budget includes component units, such as the Special Assessment Districts of Rolling Hills, Chaparral Valley and the Improvement Districts of Meadows Station and Foxwood Estates. The Elbert County Emergency Telephone Service Authority is a component unit; however, a separate budget has been prepared for such unit.

Revenues

Taxes

The primary source of revenue for the County is property taxes. The calculation of the taxes levied is displayed on page 3 at the adopted mill levy of 28.137.

Specific ownership taxes are set by the State and collected by the County Clerk, primarily on vehicle licensing within the County as a whole. The specific ownership taxes are allocated by the County Treasurer to all taxing entities within, and including, the County. The forecast assumes that the County's share will be equal to approximately 15% of the property taxes collected.

In 2007, the County passed a 1% sales and use tax and commenced collection in 2008. The revenue from the sales and use tax is collected in the Sales and Use Tax Fund and is used for capital road improvements and associated costs.

Licenses and Permits

Building and septic permits for new construction, remodeling, and improvements of commercial and residential units are estimated by taking into account current development activity within the County. The same applies for planning and zoning fees for existing County parcels.

ELBERT COUNTY , COLORADO 2012 BUDGET SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ASSUMPTIONS

Revenues - Continued

Intergovernmental Revenue

The County receives shared revenue from the State and Federal government from several sources, which include but are not limited to, Highway Users Tax (HUTF), Conservation Trust funds, and Health and Human Service grants and funding.

Charges for Services

The County collects treasurer fees on all property taxes collected by the County and these fees are estimated at 3%. Additional charges for services include, but are not limited to, public trustee fees and fairground receipts.

Interest Income

Interest income includes interest earned on the County's investments and delinquent taxes.

Expenditures

General Government

Estimated expenditures for the general government include, but are not limited to, the following departments: County Commissioners, Clerk of the Board, County Attorney, Clerk and Recorder, Elections, County Treasurer, County Assessor, Maintenance for grounds and buildings, Information Technology — Central Data Processing, Human Resources, Budget and Payroll, and District Attorney.

Public Safety

Estimated expenditures for public safety include the County Sheriff's Department, County Jail, County Coroner, Judicial Center, Building Inspection, Planning Department, Office of Emergency Management and the Planning Commission. A Law Enforcement Assistance Fund was created in 2011 to account for those revenues and expenditures associated with the Model Traffic Code program.

Public Health and Welfare

The County maintains the Health Department, including the County Nurse, the Environmental Health Department and the Department of Human Services. Estimates for these have been based on prior year's costs/revenues and adjusted for expected activity in 2012.

ELBERT COUNTY, COLORADO 2012 BUDGET SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ASSUMPTIONS

Expenditures - Continued

Culture and Recreation

Culture and Recreation includes expenditures for the Fair Grounds and Fair Activities.

Auxiliary Services

Auxiliary Services are made up of the County Extension Office, including the extension secretaries, directors, and agents' salaries, travel, rent, and other related expenditures.

Public Works

The County provides road and bridge maintenance, snow removal, and weed control on all County roads within the boundaries of the County. Estimated costs have been projected based on expected activity in 2012.

Debt and Leases

Special Assessment Debt

The Rolling Hills Acres Local Improvement District Special Assessment Bonds are to be serviced by special assessments levied against the real property in the County, which is specifically benefited by the improvements. The bonds, dated April 2002, were issued in the principal amount of \$175,000. Principal and interest, computed at 6.125% per annum, is payable annually through 2012.

The Chaparral Valley Local Improvement District Special Assessment Bonds are to be serviced by special assessments levied against real property in the County, which is specifically benefitted by the improvements. The bonds, dated January 2003, were issued in the principal amount of \$350,000. Principal and interest, computed at 6.000% per annum, is payable annually through 2022.

General Obligation Debt

The Meadows Station Subdivision Public Improvement District General Obligation Bonds are to be serviced by imposing a mill levy on all property within the boundaries of the District. The District has imposed a mill levy of 22.000 mills to generate revenue to service the bonds. The bonds, dated December 23, 2004, were issued in the principal amount of \$625,000. Principal and interest, computed at 3.15% - 5.25% per annum, is payable semi-annually on June 1 and December 1, through 2024.

ELBERT COUNTY , COLORADO 2012 BUDGET SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ASSUMPTIONS

Debt and Leases - Continued

The Foxwood Estates Public Improvement District General Obligation Bonds are to be serviced by imposing a mill levy on all property within the boundaries of the District. The District has imposed a mill levy of 30.000 mills to generate revenue to service the bonds. The bonds, dated January 27, 2005, were issued in the principal amount of \$345,000 with an additional \$15,000 in B interest coupons. Principal and interest of 3.25% - 5.50% per annum, is payable semi-annually on June 1 and December 1, through 2029. The B interest coupons were paid off in 2007.

Lease Mortgage Revenue Bonds

On October 15, 2009, the County issued \$7,300,000 in Lease Mortgage Revenue Bonds, Series 2009 to refund the Series 2005 Certificates of Participation (COPs) issued by the Building Authority and to receive additional funds to complete projects originally contemplated in the issuance of the COPs. The bonds bear an interest rate of 5.25%. Principal payments on the bonds are due annually on December 1 and interest payments are due semi-annually on June 1 and December 1.

Additionally, the County has established a Reserve that is held by the Trustee and accounted for in the County's General Fund. Amounts held in the Reserve shall be drawn upon to the extent of any shortfall of the principal or interest on the Bonds. In the event that the Reserve is drawn upon, the Mortgage and Loan Agreement provides the necessary course of action to re-establish the Reserve.

Capital Leases

The capital lease purchase agreements do not constitute general obligation debts of the County as defined by Colorado Revised Statutes as there are annual appropriation clauses in the lease agreements. The County has entered into several lease purchase agreements for equipment and vehicles.

Due to County Clerk's Escrow

Subsequent to the year ended December 31, 2009, the County determined that the allocation of clerk fees to the General Fund was incorrectly calculated beginning in January 2008.

The County acknowledged the misallocation of \$1,063,194 and will continue to forego future clerk fees until the Treasurer's agency fund is fully repaid. The County repaid \$415,446 of the fees in 2010. It is estimated that an additional \$551,979 will be repaid in 2011 bringing the balance due in 2012 of \$95,769.

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Reserve Funds

Emergency Reserve

The County has set aside reserve funds equal to at least 3% of fiscal year spending for 2012, as defined under TABOR.

This information is an integral part of the accompanying forecasted budget.